11 W

PTO/SB/21 (02-04)
Approved for use through 07/31/2006. OMB 0651-0031
Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

TRANSMITTAL FORM (to be used for all correspondence after initial filing)  Total Number of Pages in This Submission  Total Number of Pages in This Submissio	Under the Pa	Reduction Act of 1995	no persons	U.S. s are required to respond to a co	Patent and T	rademark Office; U.S. DEPART formation unless it displays a val	MENT OF COMMERCE id OMB control number.	
FIRST Named Inventor Kirby Jabusch Art Unit 2856 Examiner Name  Total Number of Pages in This Submission 3 Attorney Docket Number COR-1082-US    Total Number of Pages in This Submission 3								
Art Unit 2856  Examiner Name  Total Number of Peges in This Submission 3 Attorney Docket Number COR-1082-US    Fee Transmittal Form	•			Filing Date	Mai	rch 30, 2004		
Examiner Name  Total Number of Pages in This Submission  Examiner Name  Attorney Docket Number  COR-1082-US  ENCLOSURES (Check all that apply)  Fee Transmittal Form  Fee Attached  Amendment/Reply  Atter Fallowance communication to Total Number of Appeal Sommunication to Total Number of Appeal Communication to Total Number of Appeal Notice, Brief, Reply Brief)  Petition  After Allowance communication to Board of Appeal Communication to Total Number of Construction of Time Request  Extension of Time Request  Extension of Time Request  Express Abandonment Request  Construction to Convert to a Provisional Application  Information Disclarate of Convert to a Provisional Application  Response to Missing Parts  Information Disclarate of Convert to a Provisional Application  Response to Missing Parts  Information Disclarate of Convert to a Provisional Application  Response to Missing Parts  Information Disclarate of Convert to a Provisional Application  Response to Missing Parts  Information Disclarate of Convert to a Provisional Application  Response to Missing Parts  Information Disclarate of Convert to a Provisional Application  Response to Missing Parts  Information Disclarate of Convert to a Provisional Application  Response to Missing Parts  Information	FORM			First Named Inventor	Kirl			
Total Number of Pages in This Submission   3	(to be used for all correspondence after initial filing)			Art Unit	285	2856		
Fee Transmittal Form				Examiner Name		************		
Fee Transmittal Form    Drawing(s)	Total Number of	f Pages in This Submission	3	Attorney Docket Number	СО	COR-1082-US		
Fee Attached Fee Attached Amendment/Reply Amendment/Reply After Final Aftidavits/declaration(s) Extension of Time Request Express Abandonment Request Information Disclosure Statement Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) Response to Missing Parts/Incomplete Application Response to	ENCLOSURES (Check all that apply)							
Chandran D. Kumar, Reg. No. 48,679  Signature  Date  CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION/MAILING  I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the USPTO or deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on the date shown below.  Typed or printed name  Gretchen King	Fee Transmittal Form  Fee Attached  Amendment/Reply  After Final  Affidavits/declaration(s)  Extension of Time Request  Express Abandonment Request  Information Disclosure Statement  Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)  Response to Missing Parts/ Incomplete Application  Response to Missing Parts		Petition Petition to Convert to a Provisional Application Power of Attorney, Revocation Change of Correspondence of Corr	nereby	to Technology Cer Appeal Communic of Appeals and Int Appeal Communic (Appeal Notice, Brie Proprietary Inform Status Letter Other Enclosure(s Identify below):  1. Return Postcard  authorized to chape overpayment to Description	rechnology Center (TC) peal Communication to Board Appeals and Interferences peal Communication to TC peal Notice, Brief, Reply Brief) prietary Information tus Letter her Enclosure(s) (please ntify below):  Postcard  red to charge any		
Or Individual name  Signature  Date  CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION/MAILING  I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the USPTO or deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on the date shown below.  Typed or printed name  Gretchen King		SIGNA	TURE O	F APPLICANT, ATTO	RNEY, C	OR AGENT		
Date  CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION/MAILING  I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the USPTO or deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on the date shown below.  Typed or printed name  Gretchen King	or	Chandran D. Kuma	r, Reg. ۱ م	No. 48,679				
CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION/MAILING  I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the USPTO or deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on the date shown below.  Typed or printed name  Gretchen King		1/6/11/11	1		· · ·		-	
I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the USPTO or deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on the date shown below.  Typed or printed name  Gretchen King	Date	Data / Tamara / Toma						
sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on the date shown below.  Typed or printed name  Gretchen King		C	ERTIFIC	CATE OF TRANSMISS	ION/MA	LING		
Gretchen King	sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on							
Signature Date October 6, 2004	Typed or printed name  Gretchen King							
, ,	Signature	19	World	h lug		Date Octo	ber 6, 2004	

This collection of information is required by 37 QFR 1.5. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to 2 hours to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

APPLICANT: Kirby Jabusch et al.

Group Art Unit: 2856

SERIAL NO.: 10/813,471

FILED: March 30, 2004

TITLE: "Systems and Methods for

Controlling Flow Control

Devices"

 $\omega$ 

Atty Docket No.: COR-1082-US

M.S. DD Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Dear Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, it is respectfully requested that this Information Disclosure Statement be entered and the references listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 be considered by the Examiner and made of record.

This Information Disclosure Statement is not to be considered as a representation that a search has been made or that no other material information as defined under 37 C.F.R. §1.56(a) exists.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-0010 (COR-1082-US).

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: October 6, 2004

Chandran D. Kumar Registration No. 48,679

Madan, Mossman & Sriram, P.C.

2603 Augusta, Suite 700 Houston, Texas 77057

Telephone: (713) 266-1130 Facsimile: (713) 266-8510

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.10

I hereby certify that this paper, along with any referred to as being attached or enclosed, is being forwarded to M.S.DD, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 via the United states Postal Service, First Class Mail, prepaid on the 6th day of October, 2004.

FΟ	RM	- 1	449

SHEET 1 OF 1

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT				ATTY. DOCKET NO.		SERIAL NO.			
				COR-1082-US		10/813,471			
INFORM	1ATIO	N DISCLOSU	RE STATEM	ENT	APPLICANT				
					Kirby Jabusch et al.				
	(Use se	veral sheets if n	ecessary)		FILING DATE	GROUP			
					March 30, 2004		2856		
				U.S. PATE	NT DOCUMENTS				
*EXAMINER INITIAL		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME		CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE	
	AA	3,930,752	1/06/76	Bobby L. Douglas		417	12	5/13/74	
	AB	3,938,910	2/17/76	Bobby L. Douglas		417	12	11/01/74	
	AC	4,564,834	1/14/86	Robert E. Steele		340	622	10/11/83	
	AD	4,943,210	7/24/90	James R. Bailey, Jr. et al.		417	12	2/07/89	
	AE	5,634,522	6/03/97	Michael D. Hershberger		166	372	5/31/96	
	AF	6,516,879	2/11/03	Michael D. Hershberger		166	250.03	10/26/98	
	AG	6,615,925	9/09/03	Timothy F. Rice		166	369	10/04/02	
FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS									
		DOCUMENT NUMBER	PUBL. DATE	COUNTRY		CLASS	SUBCLASS	TRANSLATION	
		NOWIBER	DATE			CLASS	SUBCLASS	YES	NO
	AH								
	ΑI								
	AJ								
		OTHER DISCL	OSURES (Inc	luding Autho	or, Title, Date, Pertinent Pag	ges of Public	cation, Etc.)		
	AK								<u> </u>
	AK								
	AL								
EXAMINER	EXAMINER DATE CONSIDERED								
*EXAMINER:					conformance with MPEP 609.	Draw line th	ough citation if no	t in conforma	nce and not
	conside	ered. Include copy	or this form with	next commen	го аррисалт				